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MATTESON ON THE MAP WITH A BUDGET OF REAL LIVE NEWS; CIVIC IMPROVEMENT NOTED

Matteson, Sept. 5.—George Weisshaar had a narrow escape Monday evening. George and his brother had come to town to Mr. Wern's furniture store to take home a load of furniture. When they had loaded and were placing the end gate in the wagon box the horses became frightened and started, throwing George to the ground. In the fall he fractured his ankle. His brother managed to stop the horses before much damage was done to the furniture and wagon. George was at once rushed to the office of Doctor Hercules, who set the fractured limb.

RESULT OF FAST DRIVING.

Several young men of the Nash Automobile company's sales headquarters of Chicago have been in the habit of taking the new cars on Sunday and going joy riding. Last Sunday they again were joy riding, and when they came to Henry Stuenkel's farm the driver lost control of the machine and the result was that six fence posts were broken down and the machine badly damaged. The men were somewhat bruised and shaken up. Arthur Mahler went out and got the damaged car. The Nash people came after the machine the early part of the week.

A FINE TRIP.

On Friday, August 29, a party of 14 made an auto trip to Plainfield to the Illinois demonstration farm. This farm is operated by the state, and Mr. Webb is in charge of it. It certainly was interesting to see what can be done by treating the soil and rotating the crops. In some other issue of this paper we will tell about the results they have obtained from treating the soil and rotating the crops. Those in the party were: Ed. Krabbe, Willie Mahler, George von Berge, Oscar Bonnosont, Henry and Otto Chors, Otto Kruse, Otto Vollenberg, John Koerman, George Reigel, Herman Dettmering, Fred von Berge, Fred and Raymond Lustfeldt.

SCHOOL OPENED TUESDAY.

The school of District No. 162, Matteson, opened Tuesday, September 2. As Labor day came on the first day of the month, the schools opened very early—it would have been impossible for them to open any earlier, and the children are quite sure they have been cheated out of some of their vacation. Some new families have moved into the district since school closed in June. The school building has been thoroughly cleaned just before opening. Several new seats have been added to accommodate the pupils.

BASEBALL FANS DISAPPOINTED.

The game between Thornton and Matteson did not come off Sunday. The Thornton players did not come. The Matteson boys were ready to do their part. They were at the diamond early and did some hard practicing getting ready for the opponents. Whether rain scared the other team away or what other reason they had for not coming we have not learned.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Arthur Krabbe went to Cleveland, O., to work. Arthur will be gone for three weeks. He is showing the people there a certain kind of work.

Doctor Hercules returned from his vacation trip. He claims that he was doing some great fishing. We did not see the fish, but shall take his word for it.

Mr. Peterson, Sr., is enjoying several weeks' vacation in Wisconsin.

Alfred Grosche, a graduate from the University of Illinois, is now at home helping his father.

Miss Hilands, formerly teaching in New York state, has been engaged by the school board to teach the Sedan Prairie school.

Miss Louise Von Berge has returned from a visit with relatives at Harvey.

Mrs. Menkel, wife of Rev. Charles Menkel, is in a Chicago hospital convalescing from a serious operation. Her many friends hope to see her home again soon.

Miss Irma Plagge of Harvey has been visitingn with Matteson relatives.

Mr. Einhorn has sold his farm to a party from Goodnow.

Messrs. Yortmiller, Schoeling, Mahler, Vollmer and others attended the Kankakee fair on Tuesday.

Henry Heine, who underwent an operation at a Joliet hospital two weeks ago, is convalesteing slowly.

Mrs. Bode of Monee has been critically ill the past week.

Henry Scharnhorst and family, from Roseland, came down with a picnic crowd Sunday. They had intended to picnic in the woods, but rain prevented them doing so and they came to Charles Grosche's for shelter. The rain lasted only a few moments and the games were played on the lawn after the rain.

Miss Alice Stein and friend visited with Miss Elsie Grosche Sunday afternoon.

The Cook county traveling health clinic of the Chicago Tuberculosis institute was at the Matteson public school Thursday, August 29.

Oscar Bonnoront of Chicago is visiting Matteson friends. Mr. Bonnoront's father used to be parochial teacher at Matteson 36 years ago. Mr. Bonnoront was born in Matteson and attended school here up to his tenth year. He is now manager of a boon concern in Chicago.

Many Matteson people attended the Kankakee fair during the past week. The Kankakee Interstate fair is undoubtedly the next largest and best fair in the state. It certainly was worth while to take a day off and attend this fair.

This [illegible]

Rev. Mr. Becker of the local Zion Lutheran church attended the conference held at the Cooper's Grove Lutheran church Tuesday to Thursday of the past week.

A new flag has been purchased for the Matteson public school. The flag was raised for the first time on Labor day.

A number of young people from Matteson visited in Blue Island Sunday.

Miss Lawler of Joliet has been engaged to teach the school in District No. 164, known as Bartling school. Miss Lawler comes highly recommended.

A young lady teacher from Coles county, Illinois, has been engaged to teach the Richton school.

George von Berge is building a new cistern. He intends to install a water system for hard and soft water. Mr. Hildeman of Chicago Heights has charge of the installation work.

George Uttermark is putting up a new silo which he purchased through Arthur Mahler. Mr. Mahler has several more silos in his warehouse.

This is the month in which the weeds along the streets should be cut.

The Lincoln highway between Matteson and Western avenue has been opened to the public. The public welcomed this greatly because much time has been lost in detouring. We hope that the stretch from Chicago Heights to Western avenue will be completed soon.

Fall plowing is now in progress throughout the country. The ground is exceedingly dry. Plowing with horses is hard work, but those farmers who are using tractors are finding that this kind of power makes plowing much easier.

The holy communion was administered at the Lutheran church Sunday by Rev. Mr. Becker.

F. Krumwiede, who recently sold his farm to Mr. Dettmering of Peotone, is now erecting a new home across the road from his present home..

MARLEY SOCIETY DIRECTS PICNIC

Marley, Sept. 5.—The Ladies' Aid society of the Marley Baptist church held a picnic Thursday afternoon. A good program was rendered. The Rev. Henry L. Rust gave a splendid talk on the "Life of Paul," the first of a series of talks which he is to give to the Ladies' Aid on this subject. About twenty-five guests were present.

The Brotherhood will direct a social at the home of R. E. Harrison of Lockport Friday evening.

DISTRICTS IN TUITION ARREARS; STUDENTS BARRED FROM SCHOOL

Frankfort and New Lenox students who have been attending the Joliet township high school and those students who had planned to enroll this year are in a quandary as to what can be done to gain them readmittance to the high school, since they have been debarred on account of their respective townships being in debt to the Joliet township high school for back tuition fees.

About three years ago a nonhigh school tuition law was passed, but was knocked out before it became effective, consequently no appropriation was made for high school tuition fees by the respective townships named during the years 1916, 1917 and 1918. An effort had been made to pay high school tuition fees out of a state fund, but the supreme court handed down a decision that this was unconstitutional, therefore the townships are left without any high school tuition fund.

President Clarence Sterling of the Joliet township high school board states that if the townships will include an appropriation to cover the back tuition fees when making up their appropriation for school funds, or if some of the people of the townships will guarantee the payment of the amount in arrears then the ban will be raised and the students from New Lenox and Frankfort will be re-admitted. There are other townships in the county in the same position as New Lenox and Frankfort. In all about $12,000 is due the Joliet township high school for back tuition fees. It had been estimated that it would cost each township $50 per pupil for tuition fees, but the high school board found they could not educate these students for less than $90 per pupil. The extra $40 has been paid in most cases by the parents of the students, but the $50 due from the townships has not been paid.

NEW LENOX MAN KILLED BY M. C. FREIGHT TRAIN

New Lenox; Sept. 5.—Arthur Loetscher, aged twenty-six years, was the victim of a railroad accident Saturday afternoon. He was driving across the Michigan Central railroad crossing south of Lew Gougar's about five o'clock in the afternoon and failed to see a fast west-bound freight approaching. The engine struck the wagon loaded with corn stalks, killing Mr. Loetscher instantly and also killing one of the horses.

The funeral services were held Wednesday morning at the St. John Catholic church, Joliet. The deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Loetscher, four sisters, Mrs. Harry Shepley, Mrs. Tom Barry, Elsie, Anna and one brother, Joe.

The New Lenox camp meeting came to a close Sunday night. A goodly sized congregation attended the services. The meetings of the past ten days have been full of good subjects, addresses and some services, but the attendance has been very small compared with former years. It has been planned to bring out a large number of children from the Chicago stock yards district for next year's fresh air camp.

Andrew Pearson has purchased a 250-acre farm at Bellplaine, Minn. Edward Sass has also purchased a 160-acre farm near the same place. Mr. Pearson and Mr. Sass will reside here until next spring. They expect to take possession of their new farm next March.

Mrs. Rodgers, who has been spending a few weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bellows, has returned to Washington, where she is engaged in government work.

Mrs. Henry Craven and Mrs. John Moore entertained a company of young folks at a wiene roast in the camp grounds Friday night. A very pleasant time was had.

Henry Urch and George Spencer left Saturday night for a fishing trip to Paw Paw lake. They will also visit at Coloma, Mich., with the former's brother, George Urch. The fruit crop is quite scarce. George Urch, who is running a fruit farm, expects to harvest a two-ton crop of grapes.

Miss Evelyn Walsh of Joliet has been a guest at the William O'Reilly home the past week.

Miss Margaret Hurley, who has been engaged in Y. M. C. A. work in France, has been spendingg a few days with her friend, Miss Caroline Bentley, before proceeding to her home in Phoe-

New Lenox township has been apportioned $375 as their portion of the funds to be raised to help pay for the big county home coming to be tendered the boys of Will county at Dellwood Park, Joliet, September 17. A committee has been appointed and subscriptions will be taken this week. The allotment made to New Lenox is to be in the hands of the Joliet county committee by Thursday.

SIEMSEN GARAGE AT TINLEY PARK CHANGES HANDS

Tinley Park, Sept. 5.—Wm. Siemsen, who has been conducting a garage in he Stockman building since last spring, sold out his business the past week to Hoyt & Rohrdanz of Hazel crest, who have taken possession of the garage. The new proprietors expect to make many improvements and will make the garage up to date in every respect.

The Rev. A. Ladwig, pastor of the German Methodist church, has been returned for another year by the conference which has just closed in Chicago. This makes nine years that the Rev. Mr. Ladwig has served the local pastorate and there is only one other minister in the conference who has served one charge continuously for so many years, and this pastor has a record of thirteen years in one charge. The local congregation of the German Methodist church have been very anxious to have the Rev. Mr. Ladwig returned.

Wm. Kohler has purchased the lot of Jacob Funk west of Mrs. Teske.

The Eagle dance Saturday night at the Linden garden was well attended. Druing the dance a young lady from Blue Island had a fainting spell and was taken to the office of Dr. I. Ickstadt.

Mrs. Fred Goebel and son Walter and daughter Dorothy, who have been visiting with Edward Schmidt and family at Lowell, Ind., returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Studer, who have been visiting with relatives in Oklahoma, arrived home Thursday.

Mrs. J. C. Funk and daughter Eleanor, who have been spending their vacation at Deer Lake, returned home Friday.

Miss Rose Uthe and Miss Louise Glogwartz are spending a few days at Starved Rock.

Miss Margaret Hopkins and Miss Florence Reiber are spending their vacation visiting in New York and Buffalo.

Fred Goebel, Christ Mager, Harry Mager. Fred Manzke, Wm. Wannemacher rearranged the pews and cut a double door in the front of the Zion Lutheran church the past week, which is a great improvement.

J. M. Studer and family entertained Chicago visitors over Sunday.

TO LET CONTRACT.

The village of Tinley Park will let a contract to the lowest bidder to haul a car of crushed stone on road between the Klepper and Fulton properties and one car between Naihoff corner and the George Funk estate. All bids must be sealed and filed with the village clerk on or before September 8 at 10 a. m. The village reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The village will furnish a man to spread the stone.

Rev. and Mrs. Schellhase of Manitowoc, Wis., have been entertained for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schellhase, a brother of the reverend.

MISS MARY RINKE WEDS GEO. SMITH OF CHICAGO SAT.

Village Board passes ordinances liscencing various businesses.

NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Mokena, Sept. 5.—St. Mary's Catholic church was the scene of a pretty wedding Saturday afternoon when Miss Mary Rinke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rinke, Jr., and George R. Smith, the latter of Chicago, were united in marriage.

Promptly at three o'clock the bridal party entered the church to the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs. John Walsh. The bridal couple took their position at the altar, where they were met by the Reverend Father Theodore of Joliet, who performed the marriage ceremony. The bride was given away by her father.

The altar was prettily banked with flowers. The bride was prettily gowned in georgette white satin and wore a bridal veil. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses.

Miss Smith, sister of the groom, served as bridesmaid. She was attired in pink taffeta and carried pink roses. Irvin Rinke, brother of the bride, served as best man.

Following the ceremony the bridal couple returned to the home of the bride, where a wedding supper was served, following which the bridal couple left on the evening Rock Island train for Chicago, where they will [illegible] their future home. A large company of friends gathered at the depot to "see them off" and gave the bridal pair a very copious shower of rice. The bride served as telephone operator of the Interstate Telephone exchange here for many years and is highly esteemed by a large circle of friends who wish her much happiness in her married life. The groom is employed in a printing office in Chicago.

The Mokena Men's club will direct a dance at their pavilion Saturday night of this week.

Mrs. John Semmler entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Houchin of Chicago over Sunday.

and family have returned from a vacation in Michigan. The trip was made by auto.

Martin Mau well known Mokena boy return from over seas the past week. He was in the Army of Occupation.

MOVIES FOR SUNDAY

The Evangelical Church will be presented in motion pictures at the Mokena Hall, Sunday night, September 7th commencing at 8 o'clock under auspices of St. John's Evangelical church of Mokena.

AUTO THIEVES ARE CAPTURED AT FRANKFORT

Frankfort, Sept. 4- Two strangers, both young men, claiming to be from Valpraiso, Indiana, brought a car into the Heusner & Mager garage Tuesday morning for repairs. They caused suspicion when they said they had to wire Valpraiso for funds. Instead of going to the telegraph office the men attempted to get out of town. They were watched and later caught in a field. They were turned over to the sherrif's office in Joliet.

A company of young people of Frankfort charted the Balchowsky jitney bus Friday night and journeyed over to Mokena, where a marshmallow roast was held along the banks of Hickory creek, south of the village. A very delightful time is reported.

GRASSHOPPER IS MOST INJURIOUS

Sometimes Appears in Sufficient Numbers to Consume Every Green Thing in Sight.

DRY WEATHER FAVORS YOUNG

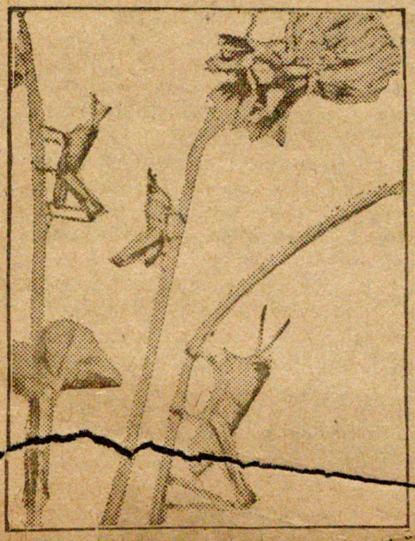
Hoppers Are Active and Able to Jump Amost Immediately Upon Emergence From Eggs—Three Methods of Control.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The periodical cicada, an insect almost universally miscalled the 17-year locust, has a bad reputation, but the destruction it causes is negligible compared to that wrought by grasshoppers—which, by the way, are true members of the locust family. The cicadas have been blamed for much of the work of the grasshoppers.

Both the young and old hoppers gnaw and devour the grain crops wholesale, and work in large swarms which sometimes attain sufficient numbers to consume almost every green thing in sight.

Dry weather ordinarily favors the successful hatching of the eggs and the subsequent development of the hoppers, while cool, wet weather, as a rule, is unfavorable and grasshoppers often die in great numbers from disease when weather conditions of this character prevail. The grasshoppers lay their eggs in the soil, the banks of irrigation canals being favored for this activity, and the young grasshoppers appear the following spring. In some of the Southern and Southwestern states the hoppers emerge as early as February, while in the northern territory the eggs are not hatched before the middle of May or the first part of June. The young grasshoppers are active and able to hop almost immediately upon emergence from the eggs. In 70 to 90 days they attain maturity and develop wings. Hence the time for the farmer to attack the pest is during its young stages.



Grasshoppers Feeding [illegible] Clover.

Three Methods of Control.

There are three methods of controlling grasshoppers, according to specialists of the United States department of agriculture—destruction of the eggs, catching the insects in the fields by traps, and use of poisoned baits. Wherever possible, the ground containing the grasshopper eggs should be thoroughly plowed or disked and harrowed in the fall, as these operations prevent the eggs from hatching the following spring.

The hopperdozer is a mechanical control implement and consists of a galvanized sheet-iron pan or trough having a back rising at right angles to the pan. It is about 16 feet in length and mounted on runners made of wood or old wagon tires. Hopperdozers often are made of a pan of galvanized sheet iron, but the back and side wings are usually built with a wooden frame covered with stout muslin or light cotton duck, thus securing lightness and elasticity of structure. The insects hop into this trap, which is drawn across the field by horses. As many as 300 bushels of grasshoppers have been collected by the use of hopperdozers on 100 acres of alfalfa.

How to Make Poisoned Bait.

As ordinarily prepared, the bran bait is composed as follows: Wheat bran, 25 pounds; paris green, 1 pound, or white arsenic, 1 pound; 6 fruits of finely chopped lemons or oranges; 2 quarts of low-grade molasses; 2 to 4 gallons of water, according to climatic conditions. The bran and paris green or other arsenical are thoroughly mixed while dry. The fruits are then finely chopped and added, and last the diluted molasses is poured over the bait and the whole thoroughly kneaded. This amount of poisoned bait is sufficient to treat about three acres when the grasshoppers first hatch. Later, when they are nearly full grown, this amount will suffice for about five acres if sown broadcast in strips one yard apart.

Blow flies, robber flies and digger wasps all prey upon grasshoppers, while wild birds, from the minute humming birds to the mammoth hawks, also assert a marked control.

Complete information relative to grasshopper control is presented in Farmers' Bulletin 747, which has just been reissued by the United States department of agriculture, a copy of which will be mailed free on request.

CRATE FATTENING IN FAVOR

Flesh of Fowl Is Made More Tender and Juicy and Is More Readily Prepared for Table.

Crate fattening of fowls for home use and for market consumption has been found by the Purdue university poultry department to make flesh more tender and juicy and more readily cooked than that of the ordinary fowl which is placed on the market.

Feed and Care for Stock.

Livestock must have feed and care to be profitable. Those who expect animals to "rustle" their own living are likely to be disappointed.

Cement Walks Not Costly.

Cement walks are not exceedingly expensive and any farmer can do the work at odd times, if he gets a little advice about the work.

Dog Is Public Nuisance.

The roaming dog is a public nuisance.

VETCH CROP IN HOME GARDEN

Spaded or Hoed Under It Will Assist in Keeping Soil Supplied With Needed Humus.

A few cents' worth of vetch seed planted in the garden each year and spaded or hoed under as a green manure crop will keep the soil supplied with humus and, to a large extent, with nitrogen. The vetch should be kept growing at all times in all available spaces.

For example, if early corn or cabbage are not removed in time to allow for a follow-up crop, vetch can be planted between the rows at the time of the last cultivation. It will then be large enough to spade under in the fall or spring. Another good way to use it is to sow it in the fall or [illegible] when the garden is being spaded in preparation for tomatoes.

By the time the tomato plants are ready to eat, the vetch will be well under way. If the vetch is not more than three or four inches high, places can be cleared at proper distances for planting the tomatoes by turning under a spade or two of soil. Then when the vetch left between the tomatoes is six or eight inches high, it can be hoed in. Since it is green and tender, this is no great task and the vetch will soon rot. If vetch is used in this way, the soil should be inoculated with the necessary bacteria. Instructions for doing this simple work can be had upon application to the state college of agriculture at Ithaca, N. Y.

CLOVER SEED AND HAY CROP

Pennsylvania Farmer Does His Cutting When Most of Heads Are Filled and Brown.

A crop of seed and of hay can be made from the second crop of clover just as well as only one crop, according to the experience of a Pennsylvania farmer. In his practice the crop is cut when most of the heads are filled and brown. It is then cured in the usual way for hay and when good and dry the hullers will get out all the seed as well as if the stalks were dead and weatherbeaten.

PROVIDE VARIETY OF GRAINS

Poultry Should Not Be Given Too Much Fattening Feed During Hot Weather Months.

Don't feed the old fowls too much fattening feed, like corn, during the summer but give them a variety of grain and let them have free range if possible so that they will make the best use of their opportunities to keep strong, healthy and productive.

Good Tax Collectors.

Weeds are good tax collectors and quite just perhaps in that they exact the largest toll from the most shiftless and unworthy farmers.

Thoroughly Cure Alfalfa.

Alfalfa is more likely than other hays to cause spontaneous combustion, and for that reason should not be put in a barn till thoroughly cured.

Bane of Hog Man.

Scours is the bane of many a hog man. It is nearly always the result of improper feeding.

POWERFUL SENTIMENT DEVELOPING FOR EARLY ERADICATION OF TUBERCULOSIS

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

That a powerful sentiment is developing among farmers, dairymen and cattle breeders in every section of the country for the early and complete eradication of animal tuberculosis is shown by hundreds of letters received by the United States department of agriculture. These letters, with few exceptions, give unreserved indorsement of live-stock owners to the plan of fighting tuberculosis in which the bureau of animal industry is co-operating with state live stock authorities.

The department of agriculture intends to publish a number of these letters with the names of the writers, because it believes the experiences they tell and the views they express should be convincing to live stock owners who have not joined actively in the fight against this disease.

Many of the writers already are listed in the department of agriculture's directory of herds officially accredited as free from tuberculosis.

Tuberculin Test Most Effective.

The following letter to the department is from Bryant Smith, manager of the Iowana farms, Davenport, Ia.:

"Iowana farms desires to commend and express their satisfaction with the work of the federal co-operating with the state authorities in the eradication of tuberculosis. The very extended experience of the federal inspectors enables them to detect and eliminate the doubtful and suspicious cases, the animals which become sources of infection when left in the herd.

"We urge every owner of cattle, of dairy or beef breeds, to have his cattle tested for tuberculosis under the supervision of the federal inspectors working with the state authorities.

"We urge every reader to co-operate with the federal and state authorities in their campaign to eradicate tuberculosis, and we believe the most effective and surest method is the use of the tuberculin test, as advocated and practiced by the federal and state bureaus."

Has Heard No Criticism.

Here is another letter of the same character from F. Darcey, secretary of the Inter-County Holstein Breeders' association, Watertown, Wis.:

"It gives me great pleasure to be able to indorse a movement which I believe is going to be a life saver for the breeder who is playing the game on top of the table. The accredited herd plan makes the pure-bred game a safer, better and more encouraging proposition.

"I have my herd on the list. This fact relieves me of that constant dread of infection which haunts a man who does not know where he is with reference to tuberculosis. I know that if I should be unlucky enough to pick up a germ, it will be detected in its incubating stage and in consequence forestall heavy losses which many unfortunate breeders have experienced.

"I am certain the fact that my herd is on the list enhances its value. The inspectors with whom I have come in contact are gentlemen well versed in their work and attentive to duty."

"Only Way to Eradicate Tuberculosis."

Extracts from other letters follow:

"I cannot speak too highly of this work. My entire herd of 80 head has been tested the second time, and I find everything all right. I have had considerable trouble during the past five or six years, but now begin to feel that I have entire control of the situation. I am doing all I can to encourage other breeders to put their herds under the government's supervision as I think it is the only way to eradicate tubercular trouble."—H. A. Moses, President Strathmore Paper Company, Mittineague, Mass.

"Government testing for tuberculosis . . . is one of the best helps that could possibly be offered to dairymen. It is just as good as fire insurance and just as much needed."—E. W. Files, Maplecroft Farm, Portland, Me.

"The work of the department in eradicating the disease of tuberculosis is being met with great approval by the stockmen in this district. The percentage of cattle affected with the disease is gradually getting smaller year by year."—W. L. Burdick, Williston, N. D.

Benefits of Eradication.

"The benefits from being able to ship interstate, the advertisement received from being listed in the government bulletin, these and many other advantages make me think this is the greatest boom to the pure-bred cattle business ever started."—T. S. Humphries, Humphries Stock Farm, Durant, Miss.

"In May, 1918, we signed up with the federal authorities to get on the accredited herd list. Our first test was made the 27th and 28th of the same month and found our herd somewhat infected with tuberculosis. But the federal authorities have kept testing our herd from time to time until today we have 80 head of Red Polled cattle which we believe to be entirely clean. We are positive that if we had not gone into this plan, by this time our herd would have been badly infected, causing us the loss of a great many dollars. We would fully recommend the accredited-herd plan to all breeders of pure-bred cattle."—J. W. Larabee, Earleville, Ill.

Tuberculosis Soon a Memory.

"We, the undersigned breeders of Guernsey cattle, have co-operated with the state and federal government for a number of years for the eradication of tuberculosis in our herds. We do heartily agree it has been of great value in cleaning and keeping clean our herds of tuberculosis. We believe every breeder of pure-bred cattle should co-operate with their state and federal authorities in trying to stamp out this disease. If they will do this tuberculosis will soon be a thing of the past."—Charles E. Wirt, William Nettleon, J. H. Nahrgang, Lewiston, Minn.

"There are undoubtedly some unscrupulous men in the business who will take every advantage they can, and if the states and government will co-operate in this work and only pass cattle that have been tested by authorized men, the disease will soon be stamped out."—C. B. Gager, Paris, Ky.

Of Incalculable Value.

"The value to the state in the protection of the whole cattle industry and the advantage to the individual breeder is of incalculable value. In a short time the benefits to be derived from the accredited herd plan will be so plain that all breeders of pure-bred cattle especially will be forced, in order to sell their cattle to advantage, to become members of the accredited herd system."—R. J. Goode, Jr., Alabama Hereford Farm, Gastonburg, Ala.

"Confidence is the chief value of tuberculin testing. First, self-confidence that comes from knowing your herd is free from tuberculosis and the satisfaction that comes from this condition; second, the confidence the buying public puts in your herd. The public is willing to pay for this confidence. This makes my breeding work a pleasure and also profitable."—W. H. Senour, Brookville, Ind., President of the Indiana Dairy Association.

"We have been much interested in getting our neighboring breeders to have their herds tested, so that we might have a clean bill of health in this community. So far we have been instrumental in securing over fifty applications for the tuberculin test and to the best of our knowledge every one is satisfied with the results and has full faith in its application. The only regret that I have is that there is not a compulsory law so that we might rid the entire United States of this insidious disease."—Willis Whinnery, Salem. O.

Cattle at National Soldiers' Home, Washington, D. C., Were First Herds to Be Officially Accredited as Free From Tuberculosis.

FARM POULTRY

LICE INJURIOUS TO TURKEYS

Common Body Louse of Chickens Is Often Found in Sufficient Numbers to Be Harmful.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Four species of lice are commonly found on turkeys in this country. One of these, which occurs particularly on turkeys associated with chickens, is the common body louse of chickens. This species is not found in great numbers on turkeys, but it sometimes becomes sufficiently abundant to cause considerable irritation and doubtless is injurious both to the grown fowls and to the young. The shaft louse of chickens also has been found on turkeys, but probably does not breed on that host. The other two species seem to be native to the turkey, probably existing on this fowl in the wild state. The large turkey louse probably is most abundant. It occurs on the feathers on various parts of the body, especially on the neck and breast. The slender turkey louse is a species of good size, though rather elongate, resembling in shape the head louse of chickens. Normally neither of these species is excessively abundant, but on unthrifty turkeys they may cause serious annoyance.

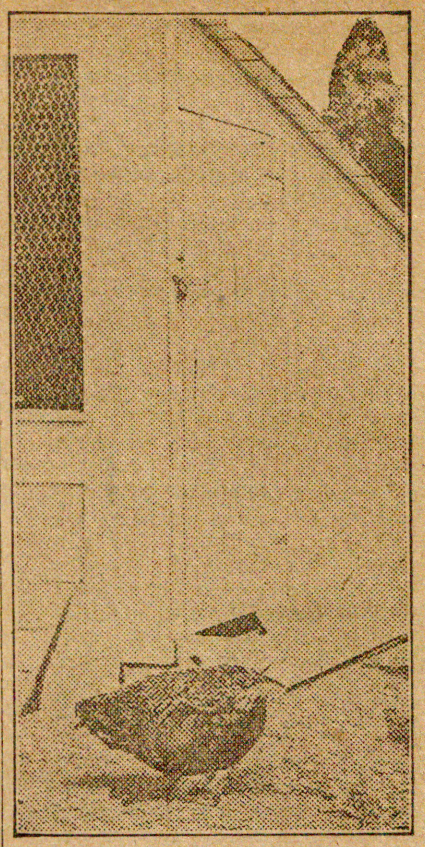
INEXPENSIVE HOUSE IS GOOD

Fowls Should Be Given Serviceable, Fairly Roomy and Well-Ventilated Structure.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It is not necessary to build expensive houses for poultry, but they should be serviceable, fairly roomy, well lighted, and well ventilated without drafts. The house should be built with a view to simplicity, economy, and convenience, and should be constructed according to the location and climatic conditions.

The walls may consist of (1) one thickness of boards, matched or unmatched; (2) one thickness of boards, matched or unmatched, covered with one or two thicknesses of building paper or roofing; (3) one thickness of boards covered with paper, then shingled or covered with lapped siding or matched lumber, making a solid double wall; (4) double boards with dead air space between; (5) double boards with space between filled with straw, hay, or other similar material. The second and third methods are the most common.



An Inexpensive Open-Front Hen House.

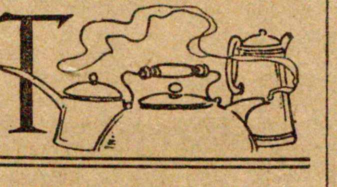
PROPER CARE FOR GOSLINGS

As Young Fowls Grow Older They Consume Considerable Grass and Other Green Stuff.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The brooding and feeding of goslings is not much different from that of ducklings except as the goslings grow older they consume considerable grass and other growing green material and in that way cut down their feed bill. They can be allowed free range when they are two weeks old.

The KITCHEN CABINET



In this existence, dry and wet
Will overtake the best of men—
Some little skift o' clouds 'll shet
The sun off now and then;

And mebby while you're wonderin' who
You've fool-like lent your umbrell' to.
And want it—out 'll pop the sun,
And you'll be glad you hain't got none!
—Riley.

SOME GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.

A sponge cake is easy to prepare and most usually well liked, is especially good for the little people and may be varied by various icings or fillings.

Two Egg Sponge Cake.—Separate the white and yolks of two eggs, beat the yolks until thick. Add to them half a cupful of sugar and two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice. Take a teaspoonful of baking powder, a pinch of salt and one cupful of flour sifted together. Beat the whites, add a half cupful of sugar to them, then put the two egg mixtures together and fold in the flour, very lightly, then add half a cupful of water and sprinkle sugar over the top of the cake. Bake in an ungreased tin thirty minutes.

Sponge Drops.—Beat five eggs very light, then add one cupful of sugar and beat again. Add a teaspoonful of lemon extract and fold in one cupful of sifted flour. Drop in gem pans and bake rather quickly.

Potato Cake.—Take one cupful of shortening, two cupfuls of sugar, half a cupful of milk, one cupful of mashed potato, one cupful of chopped nut meats, one-half cupful of sweet chocolate, two and one-half cupfuls of flour, four eggs, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and one-half teaspoonful each of cinnamon, cloves and allspice. Best when a few weeks old.

Chili Stew.—Take one and one-half pounds of steak put through the meat grinder. Heat one and one-half tablespoonfuls of butter and the same of olive oil. Add six tablespoonfuls of chopped onion, four cloves of garlic; fry until a light brown. While frying add one and one-half tablespoonfuls of Worcestershire sauce and three teaspoonfuls of chili powder, stirring well. Pour into the pan enough water to cover the bottom and then add the meat, almost covering with water. Cook for fifteen minutes slowly, then add three cupfuls of canned tomato and two teaspoonfuls of salt. Blend one and one-half tablespoonfuls of flour with a little tomato juice and add to the stew. Put into a casserole and bake in the oven for an hour. Serve with rice or boiled noodles.

But what more oft in nations grown corrupt,
And by their vices brought to servitude,
Than to love bondage more than liberty,
Bondage with ease than strenuous liberty?

WHEN FRIENDS "DROP IN."

A nice little dainty to serve with a plain lettuce salad is:

Cheese Biscuits.—To a baking powder mixture add one-half cupful of grated cheese. Roll out to one-third inch in thickness, shape with a small cutter dipped in flour and bake in a hot oven twelve minutes. If the cheese is ready these biscuits will be ready to serve in seventeen minutes, taking five minutes for mixing. It is a wise plan to have a bottle of grated cheese always ready to add to a white sauce for toast, to creamed potatoes, to omelets and various other dishes.

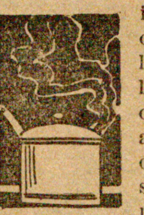
Scrambled Eggs With Smoked Halibut.—Freshen a half-cupful of smoked halibut by soaking in warm water. Mix four beaten eggs with a half a cupful of milk, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, a few dashes of pepper. Melt one and one-half tablespoonfuls of butter in an omelet pan, add the egg mixture and cook. When half done add the halibut, drained from the water, and finish cooking. Turn on a platter and garnish with toast points.

Creole Chicken.—This may be prepared the day before and reheated. Cut up a well-cleaned fowl, cover with boiling water and cook five minutes, then simmer in a fireless cooker or on the back of the range for half an hour. Cook two cupfuls of canned tomatoes and half a bay leaf 15 minutes, then strain. Chop one small onion and cook in the bacon fat with minced bacon, using three slices; stir constantly until yellow; add the fowl with the tomato, a tablespoonful of chopped parsley, two red and two green peppers cut in fine strips and two teaspoonfuls of salt. Boil five minutes, return to the fireless or back of the range and cook until the fowl is tender. This makes a fine casserole dish, baking in the oven instead of in a fireless cooker. When ready to serve thicken the sauce with flour. Cook well and heat all together until very hot.

A wide-spreading hopeful disposition is your only true umbrella in this vale of tears.—T. B. Aldrich.

Have enough strength to be sweet, enough sweetness to be strong and too much of both to be queer.

RECIPES YOU WILL LIKE TO KEEP.



A French preparation for soup seasoning which is considered very choice is this: Two ounces each of sweet marjoram, parsley, savory, thyme and lemon peel and one ounce of sweet basil. The herbs are dried, the peel is also dried and all ground and sifted together until well mixed. This powder, if carefully corked in a bottle will keep indefinitely. Use it sparingly.

Ever-Lasting Yeast.—Tie three yeast cakes (the dry variety) in a cheese cloth, add one quart of potato water, three tablespoonfuls of sugar and let stand twelve hours. Remove the yeast and place in a glass jar well covered but not sealed. Use one cupful of the well-stirred yeast for six loaves of bread. Once or twice a week fill the jar with potato water (about the amount of liquid removed). No more yeast is added. This will keep for years if directions are carefully followed. If not enough yeast is used to renew with potato water take out some each time the potato water is added. This is the food which feeds the yeast plants and they will keep on growing.

Chutney—This is a famous concoction well liked by our English cousins. This is the season to prepare it for winter use. Chop and cook together two hours twelve apples, skins not removed, two green peppers, one onion, one cupful of raisins, one cupful of sugar, one pint of vinegar, the juice of a lemon, one-half tablespoonful of ginger and one-half tablespoonful of salt. Put in marmalade jars or seal like jelly.

Olive Oil Pickles.—Take one hundred small cucumbers, three pints of small onions, one pint of olive oil, one ounce of celery seed, one-fourth pound of white mustard seed, one ounce of white pepper. Slice the unpeeled cucumbers, cover with one and two-thirds cupfuls of salt, let stand three hours. Slice the onions and let them stand in cold water three hours, then drain and mix with the oil and spices. Pack into jars and fill the jars with good vinegar. Good to eat in ten days.

God! make me worthy of Thy land
Which mine I call a little while;
This meadow where the sunset's smile
Falls like a blessing from Thy hand,
And where the river singing runs
'Neath wintry skies and summer suns.
—Richard Watson Gilder.

FOOD FOR OUR GUESTS.

A most wholesome and dainty dessert which is within the reach of all is:

Red Raspberry Lacto. — Take one quart of sour milk or buttermilk, add to it one egg white beaten stiff and a well-beaten yolk, one and one-half cupfuls of sugar and one-fourth of a cupful of raspberry sirup. Freeze as usual, and when half frozen add the juice of a lemon. This may be made with cherries, pineapple, strawberry or orange sirup.

Fruit Coupe.—Scald a cupful of milk, add an egg, two tablespoonfuls of sugar and a pinch of salt, and cook in a double boiler until thick. Set aside in a cool place. When cool, freeze; just before the cream is frozen add half a cupful of chopped pine apple, half a cupful of heavy cream whipped, the white of an egg beaten stiff. At serving time, fill the coupe glasses half full of the ice cream, cover with a spoonful of raspberry sirup and a spoonful of whipped cream and garnish with maraschino cherries and pieces of pineapple. Raspberry sirup may be made from canned fruit, boiling the strained juice with sugar.

Nellie Maxwell

Rich Costumes Rule in Paris

Elaborate Materials and Original Designs Mark Reaction From War's Tension.

CAPES IN HEIGHT OF FAVOR

No Doubt That Picturesque Wraps Will Be a Feature of Autumn Styles—Day and Evening Gowns Much Alike.

The Redfern model I have sketched this week is very novel and original in design and yet it is comparatively simple, writes Idalia de Villiers, Paris correspondent of the Boston Globe. This robe, intended for afternoon wear, is typical of present-day styles. It possesses all the elements that go to make up a successful toilette of this wonderful year.

In the first place the general outline of the little gown rather suggests an evening costume. The neck is cut round, in generous fashion, and the sleeves are very short and transparent, yet this is the kind of dress that is worn at the big race meetings and at all outdoor festivities, accompanied by a big picture hat and—more probably than not—by short gauntlet gloves. It is, in fact, a genuine 1919 model.

The material of this costume is black and white foulard—large white spots on a black ground. There is a suggestion of pannier draperies at the sides, and at the hem the supple material is so cleverely arranged that it gives something of the Turkish trouser effect. Then the waistline is long, and what the French call "vague," that is to say, it is loose and ultranatural.

I recently saw a very similar dress worn at an Auteuil race meeting, but the material was midnight blue charmeuse, with a dainty chemisette of flesh-pink orgadie muslin and a thick blue fringe on the draped tunic.

Strikingly Original Costume.

The neck was cut round, almost like the Redfern model, but the sleeves were even shorter. Very long pale gray suede gloves were worn and an immense pale gray felt hat, lined with black chip and trimmed with a cluster of black satin water lilies. It was an amazingly original costume, taking it altogether.

Nearly all the best race gowns of this season have closely resembled evening dresses, that is to say, they have had decollete necks, short sleeves and filmy draperies. It is not at all easy to distinguish between day and evening gowns just now unless one makes a careful study of materials. It is not considered correct to wear metallic brocades in the daytime nor paillettes unless the latter be skillfully intermingled with fine silk embroidery, but very many of the best and most expensive race dresses are richly trimmed with jet and steel fringes and with embroideries worked in jet steel and moonlight beads.

It is as I have said a wonderful year, and it must be admitted an extravagant one. Never have I known money spent so freely as at the present moment, and by the most unexpected people. As to the prices of the Paris restaurants—especially those situated in the Bois de Boulogne—it is enough to make one gasp with horror; one has indeed to think, not twice, but many times, before inviting a few friends to afternoon tea at an outdoor restaurant.

Paris Profiteers Busy.

Of course, it is true that prices are high everywhere, and for everything, but that does not account for the utterly outrageous prices that are now being asked in Paris for simple articles of food and of dress. People insist that the mischief has been done by rich young soldiers back from the front, who have not hesitated to make "a big splash."

There may be some truth in this, but it is not all the truth; some people are making huge profits over the necessities of the hour, and a day of reckoning will surely come.

At the big race meetings we have seen a great many picturesque wraps, which suggest delightful things for the autumn. The quaint Manon cape, full and voluminous, is still a strong favorite. It is made of satin or peau de soie and lined throughout with the softest duvetyn, in some pale neutral tint, or a vivid color, such as rose Dubarry or leaf green.

A black Manon cape, lined with pale beige duvetyn, is a precious possession. It is warm, picturesque in outline, becoming and cozy. The Parisiennes, especially our smart young actresses, wear these loose cloaks with immense grace and charm. They have a clever way of drawing them in at the hem to give the trouser effect shown in the Redfern sketch.

Gorgeous Evening Wraps.

For Biarritz and Deauville, for chilly evenings, similar wraps are lined with bright rose or green velours de laine, and a special feature is made of the big Manon hood. These cloaks will be worn in the daytime, too, over lace and linen dresses, the loose fronts thrown back and the cape hood falling off the shoulders.

I am sending you a sketch of the latest rue de la Paix millinery, models specially designed for the first race meeting at Deauville. It shows a really exquisite hat created by Talbot. The shape was directoire and the hat was made of black lacquered straw, with deep rose Stantung to line the brim. The trimming was cunningly arranged. A long, wide, black satin ribbon had wreath of exquisite pink water lilies attached to it in front. This ribbon was passed around the high crown of the hat, tied loosely at the back and then allowed to fall in long, loose ends over the shoulders.

Popular Style of Trimming.

This style of trimming is a Talbot specialty. I have seen it repeated with various flowers, and with flowers and fruits mixed. The directoire shapes are more fashionable than ever; they have been found almost universally becoming and they supply a picturesque headdress which is exactly suitable for wearing with the present-day dresses of rather fussy outline.

Many of the newest hats show long floating ribbons, in velvet or satin, and it may be said that the floating veil is more in favor than ever, especially for seaside and country wear; we do not see it very often in town.

White chip hats covered with Shantung or tussor are going to be the craze of the season. For morning wear, to accompany simple tussor tailored suits, I have seen white chip sailor shapes covered on the outer side with tussor and trimmed with two large white wings.

Mrs. Wilson's "Cape-Gown."

The costume of black satin charmeuse and king's blue satin worn in the senate gallery by Mrs. Woodrow Wilson the other day, is the first of the "cape gown" type of costume to be seen in Washington. The black satin cape, which, at the back quite covered the fitted gown handsomely embroidered in vari-colored silk and lightened with sequins of king's blue, was lined with king's blue satin exactly matching the gown in tone.

Pay More Attention to Shoes

"Sloppy" Footwear Will Spoil the Effect of the Most Handsome Costume That Can Be Donned.

Shoes are not good fits that wrinkle anywhere. Wrinkles under the arch are caused by too low a heel or the low instep of the wearer. A higher heel will usually make a shoe fit better if the instep is low. This is especially true with a long, slender foot. Shoes that wrinkle because a little wide can be remedied after a fashion by wearing an inner sole. Shoe trees, of course, should be used in shoes when they are not being worn, for the best-fitting pair is apt to wrinkle in the process of cooling from a warm foot. With thin pumps and slippers a generous stuffing of tissue paper makes a good substitute for shoe trees. A well-dressed woman never allows her heels to "run down." Having heels "built up" is inexpensive, is the least "patchy" looking of all shoe repairing, and besides improving the looks of shoes, enables the wearer to have a better carriage in walking.

Protecting Bonbons.

Ever notice how quick flies are to infest the dish of sweets on your table? Well, they walk over them in disgusting fashion and though revolting enough when one is completely alone, it is additionally embarrassing when one sees it occur at her dainty tea! Well, prevent it in this lovely way:

Out of a silk wire fashion a little bee-hive with about seven rounded parallel pieces to give it its height and large perfect circles of it to go around them and hold them up. Then place over this wire frame some fine white net. A few little designs in silk the color of your tea set would be charming scattered about on its beehive area. On top there is a little ring which has been wound with colored ribbon and little silk rosebuds are fastened at the base of this dainty little handle.

Can You Afford That Bad Back?

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Frankfort

Frankfort, Sept. 5.—The monthly Kaffee Kranz directed by the Frauen Verein of the St. Peter's German Evangelical church last Thursday was a very successful affair and netted $50.

The lawn social directed on the lawn of the local Methodist church Friday evening was well patronized and was a successful affair. Mrs. George Mitchell was the hostess of the evening.

Mrs. Henry Lees of Virgil, Ill., and Mrs. Harry Lees and daughter, Miss Marion, of Alburn, Ill., have been guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. McEwen the past week.

Frankfort celebrated Labor day with a picnic afternoon and evening at the Breidert park. A baseball game between the Frankfort team and the Joliet Greys on the Folkers diamond was a big attraction.

No services were held at the St. Peter's German Evangelical church Sunday on account of the Rev. G Lambrecht and his congregation taking part in the Mission Fest services at the St. John Evangelical church in Mokena.

Fred Warning & Son are expecting a carload of Hart-Parr tractors this week.

Last Wednesday the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church went to New Lenox and met in monthly session with Mrs. J. A. Matlack, wife of the pastor. Following the session the ladies enjoyed a picnic at the camp meeting grove and later attended the camp meeting services in a body.

The Frankfort [illegible] school opened Tuesday. The personnel of the school faculty is as follows: Principal, Prof. J. M. Clark, Miss Viola Lankenau and Miss Clara Krusemark.

Miss Violet Krusemark has been engaged to teach the Beecher school for the ensuing term.

Miss Myrtle Moss of South Bend, Ind., who has been spending the past week with the Leppla and Staff families, returned home Saturday.

Born, on August 29, to Mr. and Mrs Harry Paskin, a son.

Miss Lucille Folkers is convalescing from a week's illness.

Heusner & Mager expect to receive a carload of Overland Fours this week This is a new car and is something well worth inspecting. This car is something entirely new in the auto line here.

Wm. Scheer, who has been quite ill for the past two months, is much improved.

OBITUARY.

Arthur Kohlhagen, who died at the Silver Cross hospital, Joliet, on August 23, was born on February 23, 1884, in Frankfort township. In 1910 he was united in marriage with Miss Emma Wilkins. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow, five brothers Harry, Walter, Elmer, Herbert and Fred, and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Weitendorf and Mrs. Arthur Baumann. Mr. Kohlhagen attained the age of thirty-five years and six months.

The Frankfort Grain company is having a new pitless scale installed. The old scale was not large enough to accommodate the heavy trucks which are being used in hauling farm materials.

B. Zechlin has installed a new electric driven band saw, planer and buzz saw, which he uses in his wood-working department.

A new cinder path is to be made on the local school grounds. Several loads of cinders have been hauled on the grounds.

The Misses Vera and Mabel Staff entertained their guest, Miss Myrtle Moses of South Bend with a trip to Lincoln park, Chicago, the past week.

Miss Helen Frazier of Joliet has been the guest of the Misses Grace and Olive Kohlhagen the past week.

Doggone It.

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New Lenox

A large number of New Lenox people have been attending the Kankakee fair the past week.

The new building under construction for Edward McLaughlin is well under way.

Miss Louise Davies, who has been spending several weeks with her friend, Miss Caroline Bentley, has returned to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Agate of Brook, Ind., have been entertained at the J. R. Bentley home the past week.

The New Lenox town board of auditors met in semi-annual session at the Grange hall Tuesday. The town accounts were audited and other town business transacted.

Farmers in this section have started fall plowing and are preparing for winter wheat sowing. A considerable acreage of winter wheat will be sown by New Lenox farmers.

Norton Rowley and family of Lanix, Ariz.

Albert Oram, who has been at Camp Upton, New York, for the past 11 months, returned Wednesday. He is now mustered out of the service. Grange is visiting with the former's niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Francis.

Harold Francis is home from the county boys' camping trip under the supervision of County Adviser Lischa and Scoutmaster Cole. A fine time was had.

Tinley Park

CHURCH NOTES.

The hours of service at the German Methodist church will be changed as follows and will become effective a week from next Sunday: Morning service at 9:45 a. m., Sunday school at 10:45 a. m.

Wm. C. Hollstein represented the local German Methodist church as a lay delegate to the conference held in Chicago the past week.

The Rev. J. J. Moore, former pastor of the German Methodist church of Tinley Park, who is now located at Almond, Wis., has been visiting with old Tinley Park friends the past week.

Next Sunday English services will be held at the Zion Lutheran church, the Rev. A. Buddenhagen in charge. A week from next Sunday the communion will be observed. There will be no Sunday school.

On September 21 there will be no church services as the Rev. A. Buddenhagen will preach at a Mission Fest in Earlville, Ill., on that date.

The Rev. Mr. Lehman and family of Joliet have been visiting with Tinley Park friends the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster and children of Chicago were entertained at the Henry Wilkie home over Labor day.

R. J. Ryan is contemplating erecting a residence on his lot in the Rauhoff subdivision.

Mrs. Henry Wilkie and Mrs. Webster visited in Mokena Labor day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sippel and son have been visiting with relatives in Wisconsin the past week.

Mrs. I. Ickstadt and son Albert have returned from a motor trip to Wisconsin, where they visited with relatives and friends. Mr. Ickstadt just recently returned from army service in France.

Peter Schwab, who has been running the Saenger hall and the Linden garden for the past several years, moved to Kensington Tuesday. We will miss "Pete" but wish him much success in his new location.

George Lorenz took charge of the Linden garden, opening same with a grand opening dance Labor day.

The All American Pleasure club of Blue Island will direct a dance at Linden garden on September 6.

Read the advertisements of the Tinley Park business people, patronize them, and help to make this paper bigger and better.

The child of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fulton has been ill the past week. Dr. I. Ickstadt has charge of the case.

Mission Fest services will be held at the Bahcelors Grove Lutheran church next Sunday.

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The Appian way was the first great Roman road formally undertaken as a public work, it is said. It was begun in 312 B. C. by Appius Claudius Caecus. Today the Appian way forms one of the most notable memorials of antiquity in or near the Eternal city, bordered by tombs and the ruins of monumental buildings. Long stretches of the pavement remain perfect. The width of the Appian way was from 14 to 18 feet.

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Marley

Miss Marion Barney has resumed teaching in a Chicago school.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Weydell, who have been living in Marley the past four months, have returned to Chicago.

Mrs. James Bell returned from Silver Cross hospital, Joliet, last Thursday much improved.

Mrs. Zimmerman has returned from the Washington Park hospital, Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Matthew and children spent week-end and Labor day with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Van Duser.

Rev. Rust will take for his subject for the Sunday morning service, "The harvest is past, the summer is ended and we are not saved."

In the evening the young people will give a debate "Resolved, that support should be given home missions rather than foreign."

Mr. and Mrs. Hougthy of Detroit, Mich., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wernerp. Mr. Hougthy is a state officer in the Gleaners and has been doing work along that line while here.

In the Library.

Co-Ed (coolly to freshman who has just picked up her handkerchief)—Thank you. But if I should happen to drop it again, please don't bother. It wasn't you I meant.—Penn State Froth.

Gloom and Gladness.

A pessimist is a man who believes that it will take centuries for the world to recover from the blow to civilization; and the optimist is a man who retorts that there will be plenty of centuries.—Rochester Post-Express.

Old Belgian Newspaper.

The oldest newspaper in Belgium is the Gazette van Gent, which received the privilege of printing the Gendtsche Post Tydinghen on November 17, 1666, and which has existed almost continuously since the first number was printed on January 1, 1667. The oldest copy preserved is No. 67 of September 8, 1667.

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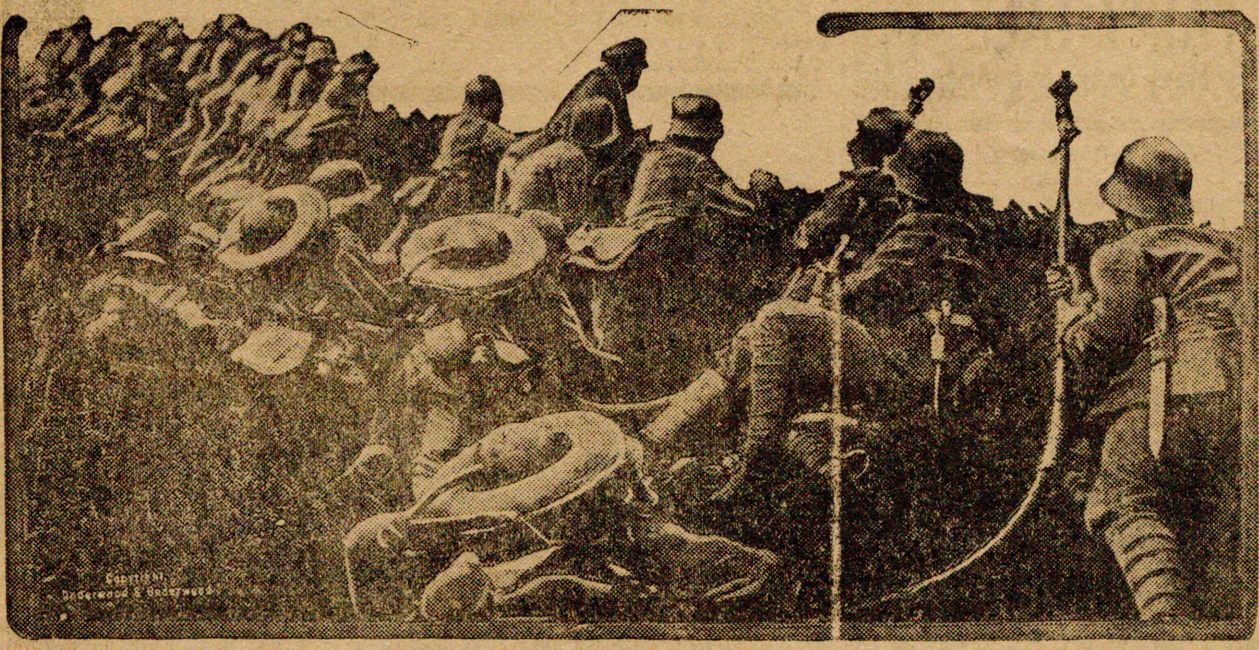
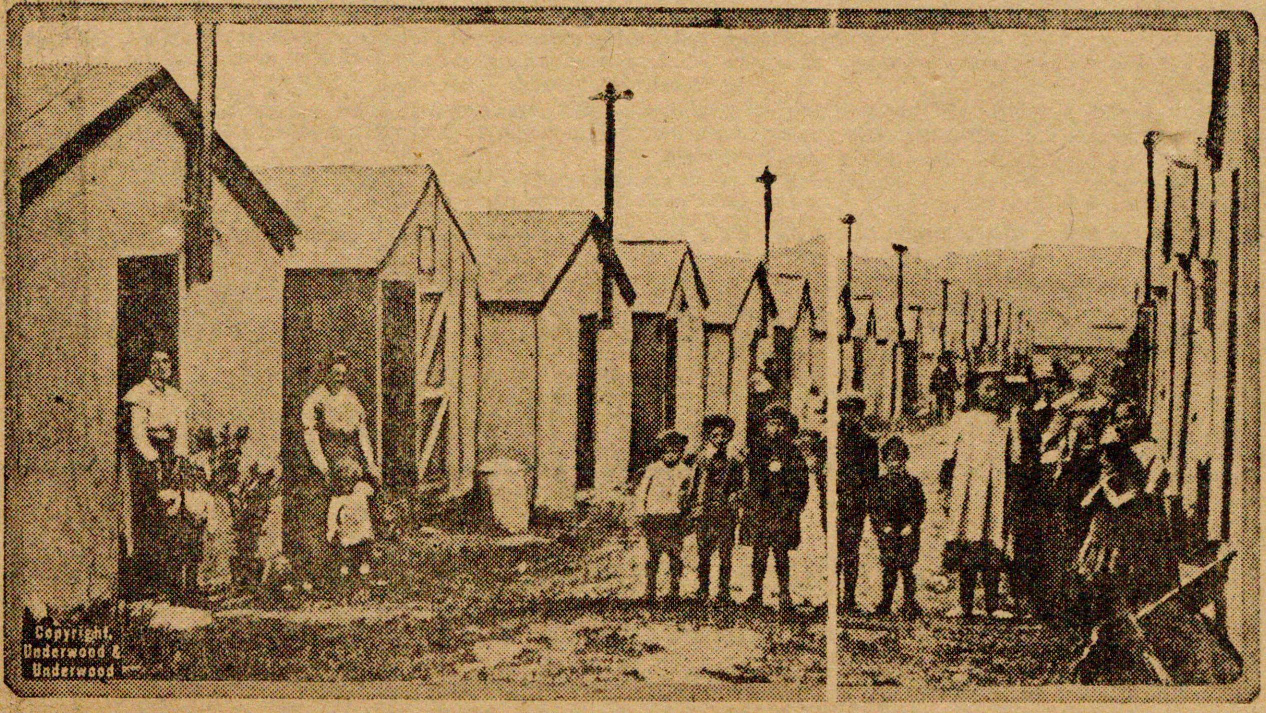


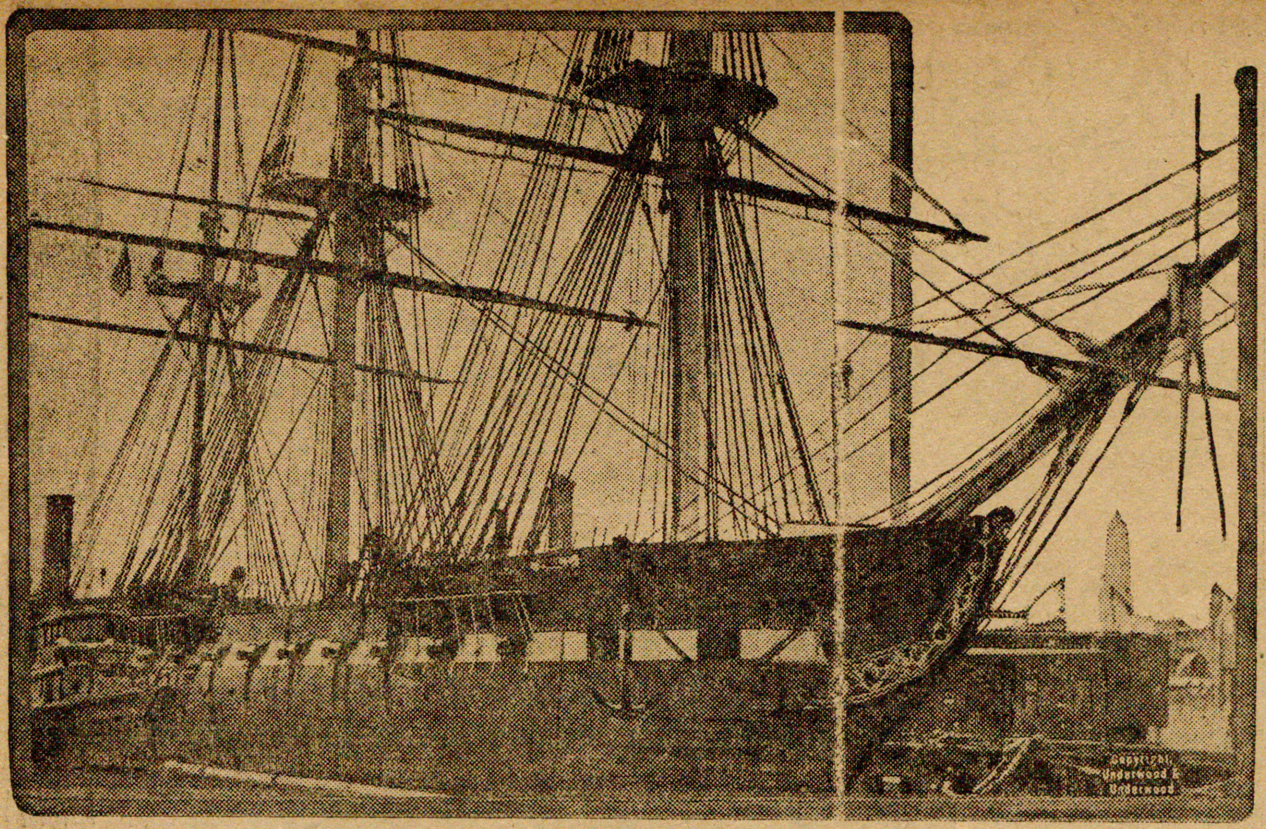
The allies look with considerable suspicion on the new volunteer army that Germany is recruiting and training in modern methods of warfare. The photograph shows some of the recruits being taught the use of liquid fire.

ENGLISH ARMY BARRACKS CONVERTED INTO HOMES



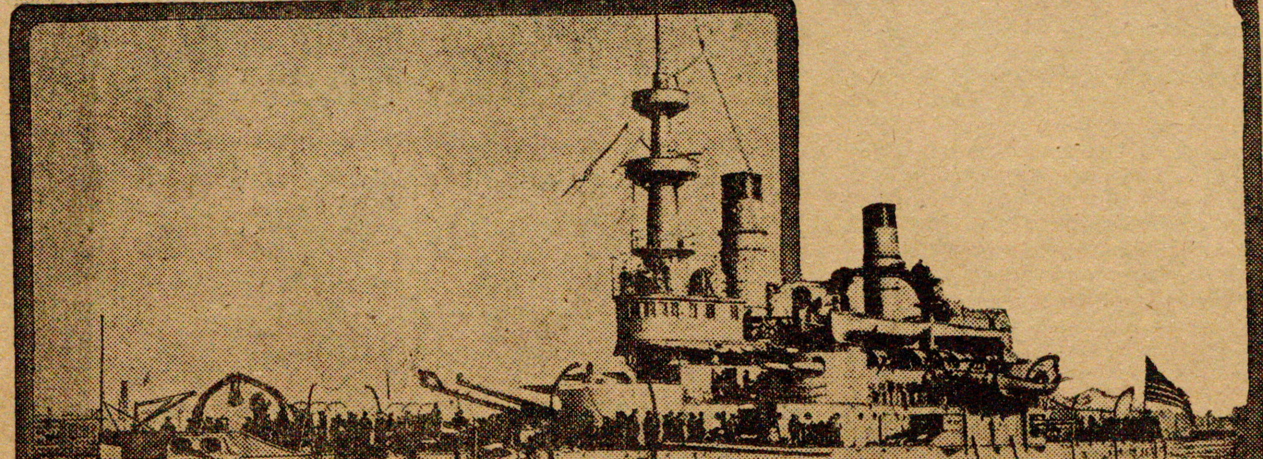
To defeat the housing shortage in England the government has allowed the city of Eastbourne to acquire these barracks, formerly known as the "cavalry camp," and the buildings have been converted into dwellings.

CONSTITUTION IS HERSELF ONCE MORE

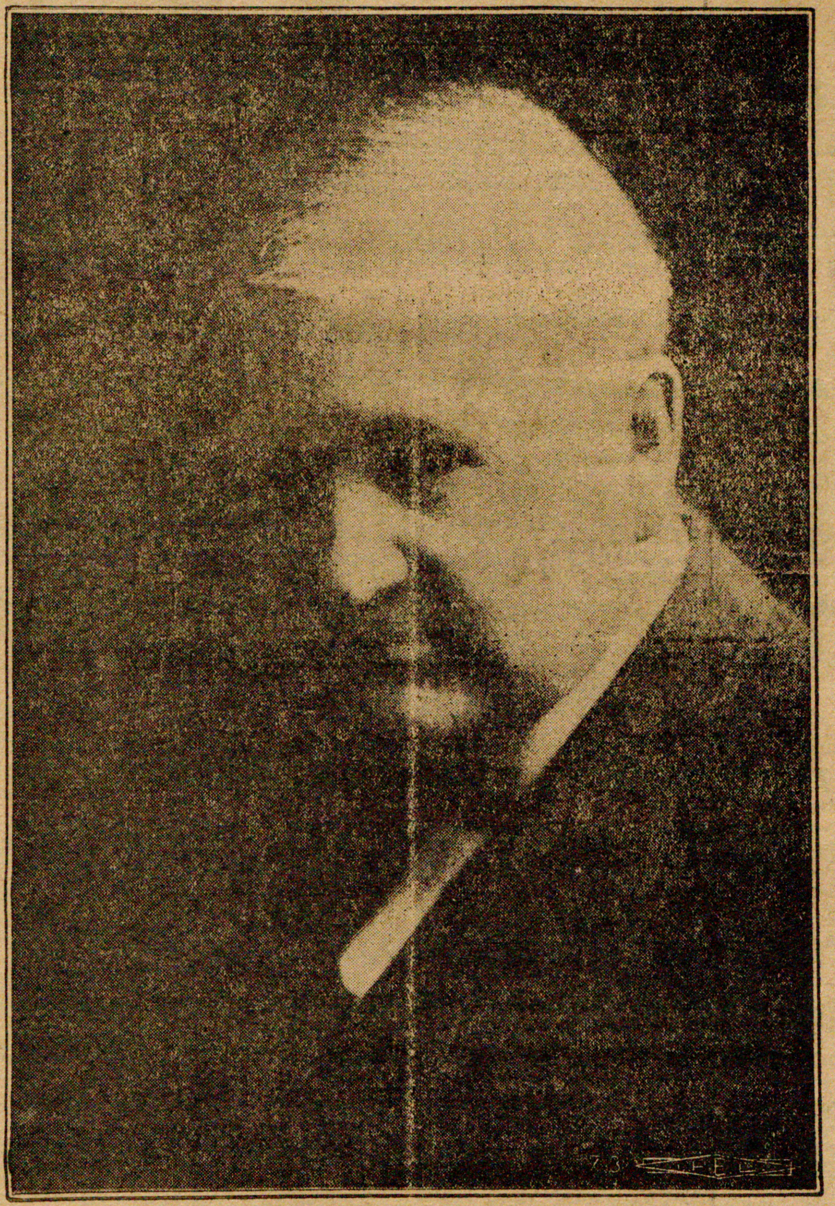


The famous frigate Constitution has had the superstructure, added to make her a training ship during the war, removed and again presents her familiar appearance in the Charlestown navy yard, Boston. Launched in 1797, she fought in the war with the Barbary states and sank the Guerriere off Cape Race in 1812 in one of the most famous naval engagements in history.

PRESIDENT WILSON'S FLAGSHIP IN THE PACIFIC



The old battleship Oregon, of Spanish war fame, which will be President Wilson's flagship as he reviews the newly created Pacific fleet when it steams into the harbor at San Francisco early in September.



EDWARD CORLETT

JOLIET, ILLINOIS

Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Delegate to the Constitutional Convention

PRIMARY ELECTION
Wednesday, Sept. 10, 1919

ELECTION
Tuesday, Nov. 4, 1919

EDWARD CORLETT was born in 1871, on a farm in the Township of Wesley, Will County, Illinois. He attended the country schools, after which he took up the study of law, graduating from the Bloomington Law School in 1894, since which time he has been engaged in the general practice of law in Will county, Illinois. He is attorney for the Penitentiary Commission, the members of which are: Col. John Lambert, Congressman Ira C. Copley and Mr. Jas. A. Patton. Their work consists of building a new penitentiary, now under construction near Joliet.

Mr. Corlett has achieved the success in his profession which comes to the average hard working country lawyer.

While he has been a candidate for office on only two previous occasions, once in 1899 for mayor of the city of Wilmington, Ill., to which office he was elected, and again in 1904, when he was an unsuccessful candidate for the Republican nomination for States Attorney of Will county, yet believing that it is the duty of every citizen, even though not a candidate for office, to take an interest in politics, he has long taken an active part in politics and public affairs. He is affiliated with the Republican party, although in 1912 he supported Theodore Roosevelt for president. He is not radical enough to suit the most radical, nor is he conservative enough to suit the ultra conservative, but his views on public questions during the twenty-five years that he has been active in public affairs have been generally approved by the average forward looking men.

He believes that those provisions of the constitution which do not obstruct progress at present, and which the state is not likely to out grow within the next few years, should be preserved in the new constitution which will be submitted to the people for approval at the general election of 1920.

Because of the importance of this work he wonld regard his nomination and election as an honor and a great opportunity for public service.

Australian Pearls.

The pearls that come from the coast of Australia are of many shapes and colors, and in the trade have names to distinguish them. Pearls under ten grains are sold by the ounce, above that by the grain. Color has a deal to do with the value. The white pearls go mostly to Europe and the yellow ones to India.

The Trouble With Them.

"Some families," said Uncle Eben, "would be a whole lot happier if dey didn't keep tryin' to put too much jazz in 'Home, Sweet Home.'"

Simply Had To.

A little girl was in the hospital following an operation for appendicitis. Her people lived out of the city, so she was lonely, and cried a great deal. Finally a nurse gave her a nickel not to cry. In a short time she called to the nurse: "Please take your nickel, I've just got to cry."

The Beneficent Bat.

The government of the United States has discovered that the bat, instead of being useless and worthless, as is generally thought, is really most valuable. He is the inveterate enemy of all insects that fly at night. In recent investigations bats shot in the evening after flying for 12 minutes were found with stomachs so gorged with mosquitoes, gnats and small flies that it was difficult to see how they could eat any more.

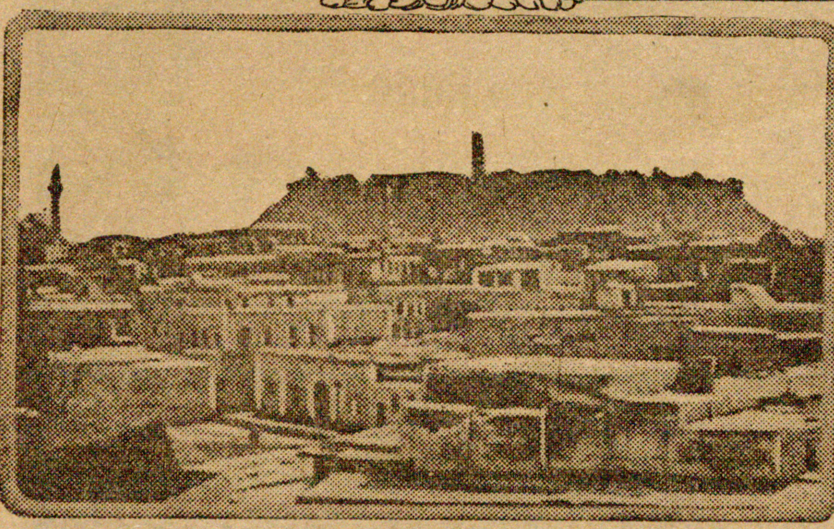
Walk Into My Parlor.

A Mr. Cobb has married a Miss Webb. He knew that they were meant to be joined as soon as he spied her.—London Tit-Bits.

Escaped Mutilation.

"It's a mighty good thing," said Uncle Eben, "dat de Ten Commandments was handed down direct, instead of bein' 'bliged to go through de hands of a lot of committees."

ALEPPO



View of Aleppo and Its Citadel.

ALEPPO, the capture of which by General Allenby on October 26, 1918, was the culmination of the conquest of Syria, is, like Damascus and Konieh, one of the ancient cities of the world. It may, indeed, be older than either; certainly it appears in history as early as Damascus and before Konieh. It was one of the Syrian towns captured by the Egyptian conqueror, Thothmes III, about 1480 B. C., and thereafter is of frequent occurrence in the agitated annals of those early times, says a writer in the Sphere. Under Roman rule it enjoyed a long period of prosperity. Its ancient Syrian name of Halban, or Khalban, was corrupted by the Greeks into Chalybon, but it was also known as Berea. When, after seven centuries of Roman rule, it fell into the hands of the Arabs, it was called by them Haleb, a nearer approximation to its ancient name than the Greek Chalybon. The Venetian and other Italian visitors, of whom there were many in the middle ages, blundered Haleb into Aleppo—that is, they dropped the aspirate, as Latins so often do, sounded the final "b" as a "p," and added in the arbitrary fashion of Romans, Greeks and Italians their termination "o."

The secret of Aleppo's long prosperity, which endured even under Turkish rule, is its splendid commercial position at the junction of at least four great trade routes. This was perhaps largely due to the destruction of Palmyra (Tadmor) by Aurelian, after which the bulk of the trade which had passed through the city of Solomon and Zenobia now diverted itself by a more northerly route through Aleppo. By caravan it traded with Persia and India through Mesopotamia, with Egypt by way of Damascus, with Asia Minor and Constantinople by the ancient route through Taurus. In Romano-Persian times the caravans passed by Ctesiphon, but after the Saracen conquest was the half-way station on the way to Persia.

Byzantine Versus Hamadanite.

During the middle ages Aleppo's existence was a life of stormy magnificence. During the earlier wars of the Saracens with the eastern Roman empire it was more than once taken and retaken. In the tenth century it became the seat of a brilliant local dynasty from Hamadan in Persia. The most noted ruler of this family was Seyf-ed-Din, whom the Byzantine historians call "Khabdanos," i. e., the Hamadanite. Seyf-ed-Din kept great state at Aleppo, and probably the chief portions of the present fortifications of the citadel were built by him, though it is quite possible that they are older. He was a patron of art and literature and also a mighty warrior, who led many expeditions against the eastern Roman empire with alternate success and defeat.

After much success he sustained a terrible defeat in 961 in the Taurus passes, and himself escaped only by a breakneck scramble up a precipice. Next year his fate was upon him, for the great Byzantine marshal, Nicephoros Phokas, soon to be emperor-regent, marched against Aleppo with all the available forces of the East. Seyf-ed-Din made desperate efforts; he levied all the citizens of Aleppo and intrenched himself to guard the approaches to his capital, while in Mesopotamia a holy war was proclaimed, and the troops of Mosul, Edessa, Mardin and many other places marched to the relief of Aleppo. Could all these forces unite the Byzantine general must have been defeated, but he was so prompt that he reached his goal before the Mesopotamians could arrive. By one of those masterly turning movements which in those days only Byzantine generals and Byzantine troops could achieve, Phokas flanked Seyf-ed-Din out of his intrenchments and forced him to fight in the open before the city gates. He was utterly defeated, and as his beaten troops poured back into Aleppo sedition broke out. The citizen soldiers laid the blame of the rout upon the Arab and Turkish mercenaries; they turned their swords against one another, and amid this internecine strife the Byzantine cuirassiers stormed the walls and came pouring into the streets, sweeping the last army of "Khabdanos" before them in rout and ruin. For three days the victorious army wrought its will on unhappy Aleppo, while upon the sack and destruction the fallen emir and a remnant of his army looked down from the walls of the impregnable citadel, perhaps those self-same piles of tawny masonry which crown the fortress hill to this day. When the Mesopotamians arrived they found that Phokas and his army had quietly retired with their prisoners and plunder, leaving ruin and destitution behind.

Aleppo in the Middle Ages.

Aleppo's brief political greatness thus fell beneath the hammer stroke of Nicephoros Phokas, but its commercial eminence did not leave it. For two centuries it led a precarious political existence—usually in vassalage to the dominant great power. It was part of the empire of the mighty Saladin, and probably the work of his masons is to be seen today in the citadel walls. After Saladin and his house had passed away Aleppo fell to the Mameluke sultans of Egypt. Thither in 1402 came the terrible Timur (Tamerlane) on his way to overthrow the army of Egypt at Damascus.

Timur left terrible traces of his presence on Aleppo, but the city, thanks to its splendid situation, recovered, and for the next century or more, indeed, was at the height of its prosperity. It was injured by the discovery of the passage round the Cape of Good Hope, but remained great and wealthy until 1822, when it was smitten by an earthquake and almost completely destroyed, with a loss of life calculated at the lowest at 20,000 persons. During the thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth centuries it was foremost among the trading cities of the world, and its renown spread far and wide.

It was from Aleppo that the first pioneers of England's Indian trade and empire started on their long journey to the courts of the moghul emperors. Doubtless it was from some of them, or reports of their journeys which must have been current in Elizabethan London, that Shakespeare and Marlowe learned of the oriental city. At all events, references to Aleppo are to be found in the plays of both—less in Shakespeare than in Marlowe, whose bent was clearly in the direction of oriental glamor.

Modern Aleppo still suffers from the destruction wrought by the catastrophe of 1822, but there is no doubt that the researches of skilled archeologists would meet with rich reward in a city which has existed continuously for 4,000 years, which has seen the charioteers of Egypt and of Khatti, the phalanx of Alexander and the legions of Rome, no less than the mailed horsemen of Byzantium and the savage riders of Timur and Selim the Grim. The citadel walls still stand intact and imposing; the walls of the inner city are mainly in ruins. In the western rampart there survives—in the form of an inscription—evidence of the presence of the Hittite conquerors, who wrested North Syria from the weak hands of the heretic Pharaoh Akenaten. The flat roofs of the houses are often laid out as gardens, and south and west of the city extend wide plantations and orchards. Water is supplied by means of an ancient aqueduct, a relic of the Roman rule, which, in Syria, as in Gaul and Britain, has left indestructible evidence of its passion for works of practical utility. There is much local industry, and as a principal station on the Trans-Syrian railway close to the Bagdad line, Aleppo still occupies a position of great importance. Under civilized rule it has every opportunity of recovering its former prosperity.

Dimensions.

The Atlantic—I may be only 16 hours wide, but I'm just as deep as ever.—New York Sun.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

by Mary Graham Bonner

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THE OTTER.

"I have known such a free life, such a wild, free life," said the Otter, "that I grow impatient—that is, I grow restless and I become bored with the dull life of the zoo.

"I would rather be free even if I were in danger of having my beautiful fur taken. And the only way my fur can be taken is by getting me first and putting me to a sorry end.

"By a sorry end I mean a real end. There would be an end of me if they got my fur. That is there would be an end of the real me, the me that speaks in otter language, and walks and breathes and eats and plays.

"There would still be otter as far as my fur is concerned. But that is only a part of me. It would be as though they would keep my coat and leave me to get another. But I can't get another. Once my coat is taken—there is no otter left.

"Still it is a great compliment to have them like my fur. It is a great honor to feel that my fur keeps people warm. But they can't get me easily, for I don't look out for compliments.

"No, I would be perfectly happy without any people's compliments. Of course otters' compliments are quite, quite different.

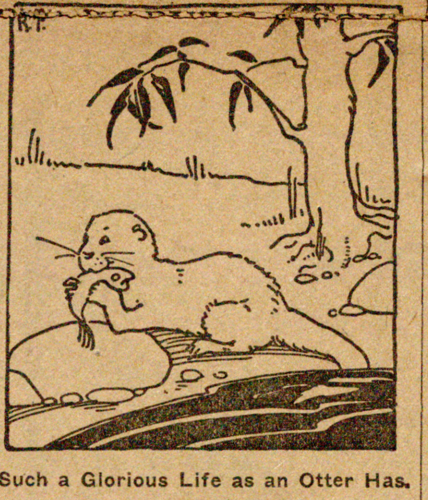
"I wouldn't mind those in the least. No, not in the least. They wouldn't do me any harm, but those compliments of the people—well, they're funny compliments. Funny indeed.

"As though they would take one hand and pat you and slap you with the other. Still how could they compliment our fur in any other fashion?

"No, they must compliment our fur in that way. I see that they must.

"Such a glorious life as an otter has when he is free. He is such a fine animal, such a fine furry beast. He loves Canada and the cold weather, he loves the North and the wind and the snow. He loves real winter better than he does a make-believe winter.

"And he doesn't care much for summer, a foolish sort of a season for a creature with all the furs he wants. I can't put my furs into storage or in camphor balls, as I hear people can. I have to keep mine with me, for there is no safe storage house for otters' furs except on their own backs.



Such a Glorious Life as an Otter Has.

"So I have to keep my fur on and that is why I hate the summer time, this season of the year!

"Often I try to get away but they like to keep me here for people to look at. Ah, many people come to look at me, and they say,

"'Oh, what beautiful fur. How fine a coat would be of that fur, or a muff would be nice too.

"'And a fur hat would be delightful and fur mittens quite too wonderful.'

"Yes, that is what they say when they see me in the zoo. But I would like to answer them and say,

"'I am safe here. You cannot touch me. But I would rather be wild, wild and free and run the danger of you and of your love of my fur than I would be here where life is so dull and so much the same, day after day after day.'

"Yes, that is what I would like to say to them. And yet I have had a happy winter. I have enjoyed myself sliding down hill, for I'm a jolly fellow, too. Yes, I am like a child in the way I like to slide down hill—and like many a grown-up too, for I've noticed grown-ups like to slide down hills when they get a chance.

"They pretend they're pleasing the children when they get on their sleds, but ah, I've seen them and I know they like it.

"But I'm an honest otter and I admit I like it, and who wouldn't? So I've had a good winter, but oh, for the old otter the free life is the real life, though I have little to grumble of here. But that is the trouble, the life is so dull, one can't even grumble, it's too bad!"

The Way of It.

"In the passage of the fleet through the Panama canal they had to key expectation up, didn't they?"

"I suppose they did to negotiate the locks."

Once in a while a woman actually believes that her husband knows as much as he thinks he does.

Sometimes a blond woman is really a blond.

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Crowd at Leipzig Fair.

Attendance at the Leipzig (Germany) spring fair totaled 100,000, making a new record.

Hard to Guess Why.

Wonder why a spinster can never remember anything that happened a good many years ago?

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RATIO MAKES FOR HARMONY

Peculiar Arrangement of Chinese Musical Instruments Said to Be Work of Chinese Emperor.

The characteristic musical instrument of the Chinese is a series of bamboo tubes, the longest of which measures about nine inches, and of which the remainder diminish in length at a regular ratio, each being just two-thirds the length of the one before. This arrangement was devised by the Chinese—they say, by the Emperor Huang-Ti—on the following principle: Between heaven and earth there is perfect harmony. Now the number three is the emblem of heaven and two of earth. If then two pipes or tubes be made in the proportion of three to two, they will harmonize in tone as perfectly as earth and heaven. So the base tube of the instrument was made nine inches long and the second two-thirds that length, or six inches. Of course, the third has to be two-thirds the length of the second, or four inches; and so on. The result was that the note of the second tube was what we call an interval of a fifth above that of the first, that of the third a fifth above the second, and so on through the whole range.

Every man and woman on earth has some good quality, if you will only take the trouble to look for it.

Lost Opportunities.

"How long have you been in prison, poor man?" asked the sympathetic visitor.

"Ten years, mum; five more years to serve."

"Dear me! And to think how green the grass is outside, how blue the sky."

"That doesn't worry me, mum. A man in my profession don't have time to enjoy de green grass and de blue sky, but wid all de detectives in de country trailin' dese bolsheviks I'm missin' some grand chances to do some second-story jobs."

Retort Convincing.

Nine-year-old Edith insisted on playing with her three-year-old sister's doll. Her grandmother tried to argue with her. "Why, you're such a big girl—so much older than your sister," she said. "Don't you think for that reason alone you should not want her new doll so much?"

Edith looked at grandmother. "Oh, I don't know," she returned carelessly. "Your're a lot older than mother and yet you want her new baby all the time."

There are lots of things that a man can't afford to do and he can afford not to—so they keep him doing.

Silence sometimes gives consent and sometimes it gives offense.

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THE RAJAH'S MILLIONS

By AUGUSTUS GOODRICH SHERWIN.

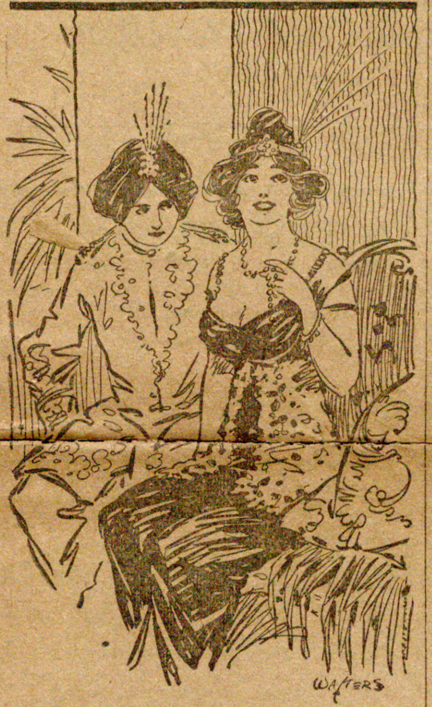
A real rajah was visiting Paris and had become quite the sensation of the hour. We, the young attaches of the diplomatic corps, "learning the ropes" as one might say, were in evidence when he was first presented to the chamber of deputies. It was like viewing a novelty. We discussed him casually as one would a new operatic star or a popular danseuse, then we forgot him.

Singh Ai was not a person to be straightway forgotten by the people, however. Wherever he went he created a furore. He was no dense overfed human porpoise with a dozen wives back in his native country, and though unsophisticated by no means crude or ignorant. While childlike in his ideals, he had received a fair education and in appearance was manly and dignified.

His father, "the old fighting rajah of Awnpore," had become half civilized and thought he saw an advantage in making his son familiar with the world at large. The news journals exploited all this. They published portraits of Singh Ali and of the princess of a neighboring province. Cleora was her name, the chosen bride of the young rajah, who was said to be heiress to fabulous millions.

According to the Paris prints Singh Ali had brought a cool million in standard coin to the great city to expend in learning the ways of modern life. Besides this whole strings of precious jewels, which he scattered lavishly in making friends. Besides all this regal equipment, too, there was Benghi.

Benghi had from the first attracted fully as much attention as Singh Ali. Benghi was an elephant, the pick of a herd presented to the young rajah by his prospective father-in-law loaded with gold trappings and a small fortune in ivory ornaments.



The Mute Adoration of the Rajah Was Almost Touching.

"Well," one day, spoke young Hardy, a fellow secretary in the service of our embassy, "I hear some lively news concerning our royal guest."

"You mean Singh Ali?"

"Yes. He is playing the role of the modern Croesus at a swift pace. The man is an anomaly. He is devoted to real art, beneficent with indigent playwrights and authors and commendably generous with the real poor and deserving. He has poured out a veritable stream of gold since his arrival. I learn that the regal papa, however, has remitted another million to his account. The man does not drink or gamble. He has a respectful admiration for all womankind. He is unselfishly loyal and helpful in all his impulses. It will all be beaten out of him, however."

"What do you mean?" I asked interestedly.

"Singh Ali will go home a bitter, hardened man—and a pauper."

"You startle me!"

"Listen; he has fallen in love."

"Why, I thought he was to marry a princess in his native country?"

"That was the plan, but the glamour of the gilded life of Paris has made him forget. The witchery of a fair false face has charmed him. Singh Ali has met and has fallen a victim to La Sirene."

The revelation needed no added details. La Sirene! A baleful cloud struck my imagination at the mention of that name—ill omened, notorious, tinged with memories of disgrace, embezzlement, suicide. A vampire for gold, she had fascinated victim after victim, thirsting only for money, leading her prey to the brink of an abyss—honor, respect and fortune gone!

"And the rajah has met this woman?" I asked.

"He is completely under the domination of her fascinations. She is playing a new role with him. She poses as a cruelly deserted wife. He has asked her to marry him. As his prospective fiancee she is propriety itself, awaiting she claims, a divorce from her husband."

"And Singh Ali?"

"Is lavishing his wealth upon her. He has leased a magnificent country place near the city. There he has Benghi, his favorite pet, in a little park, caparisoned with a howdah and fittings well worthy the palace-like inclosure in which the animal exercises. The week is one series of fetes. All of them La Sirene attends—with a chaperone! There is a musical there tonight. I have cards. Will you attend?"

I shall never forget that evening. There were few ladies present and the general throng by no means represented the better class of people. All was decorous, however, and many decorated civic authorities and some illustrious musical artists were in evidence. La Sirene was the queen of the assemblage. The mute adoration of the rajah for this beautiful vampire was almost touching. She was a truly wonderful singer and after the delivery of some operatic gems, the rajah publicly presented her with a necklace worth a king's ransom.

I caught up an incident related of the capricious beauty. It seemed that Benghi had sulkily refused to take a comfit she proffered, as if jealous of the attentions of his master. The enraged siren had struck Benghi with the keeper's hook, blinding one eye.

A few days later we learned that La Sirene had about plucked the infatuated victim of her wiles. There were rumors that his liquid wealth was about gone. Then he had to give up his princely nest and some of his jewels were seized for debt.

"His father has called him home," explained my friend, "and has refused to furnish any more means. What he had La Sirene has devoured. Singh Ali is practically bankrupt."

Through it all the young rajah wavered not in his faith in the woman who had charmed him. It was as if a magic spell made him forget his home fiancee, his fealty to father and country.

"La Sirene had riddled the last shred of two millions," reported my friend to me. "Worse than that, she has beggared the rajah. She expressed a wish to own Benghi. The rajah sent her the splendid animal, and what do you think?"

I shrugged my shoulders, expecting any treachery or meanness from the siren cormorant.

"She intends to sell it to a menagerie man, who offers a large price for the animal. The nabob has been taken in. She has practically deserted him."

It was two days later when my friend again came to me with the words: "Retribution—the end!"

"You mean?" I insinuated.

"La Sirene is dead!"

"Dead!" I repeated vaguely and fairly shocked.

"Yes. It seems that Benghi never forgot her cruelty. She was bartering for the sale of the animal, when it seized her suddenly in its trunk, hurled her to the ground, pinioned her with its ponderous foot and crushed the life out of her."

The next I heard of Singh Ali he was lying in a hospital delirious with a fever, and his nurse was his old love. His father had come to Paris with her to rescue his son from the wretchedness his ingenuous trust in a fair but false woman had brought him.

I saw the three when they left for their far away home. The weak steps of the man who had learned so terrible a lesson were guided by a dusky but beautiful girl, his faithful fiancee.

His eyes took in a last look at Paris, the beautiful Paris, the devourer—and he sighed.

Then they turned to the patient anxious face of his fiancee. And in their depths was the old love, restored.

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Canal Begun by Nero.

The idea of a channel tunnel between England and France has now been in the air for more than a century, but even so, it comes nowhere near record for long considered schemes. The ship canal across the Isthmus of Corinth, which was completed in 1893, was the finish of a scheme dating back to 600 B. C., when Periander employed Egyptian engineers to survey the isthmus. Nero actually began work along the site of the present canal, but at his death this was abandoned, and men continued to weigh up the idea for another 18 centuries.

Kaiser in Trade.

The kaiser has refused an order worth $20,000 which a leading merchant of Breslau placed with his factory at Cadinen for pottery to decorate a new business establishment. Attached to the order was the condition that the kaiser should visit the Breslau shop after the Cadinen decorations were installed. The kaiser denounced the conditional order as outrageous.

Their Origin.

Willie—"Paw, where do jailbirds come from?" Paw—"They are raised by larks, bats, and swallows, my son."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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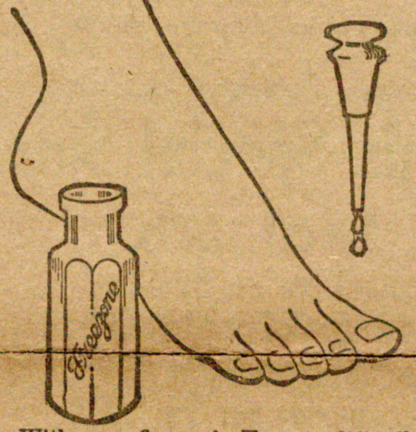

With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard skin calluses from bottom of feet.

A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs little at any drug store; apply a few drops upon the corn or callus. Instantly it stops hurting, then shortly you lift that bothersome corn or callus right off, root and all, without one bit of pain or soreness. Truly! No humbug!—Adv.

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Proof that Some Women do Avoid Operations

Mrs. Etta Dorion, of Ogdensburg, Wis., says:

"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

How Mrs. Boyd Avoided an Operation.

Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well.

"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

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BUSINESS PLACES TO PAY SPECIAL LICENSES

The village board passed a large number of special ordinances Wednesday night, these ordinances being for the purpose of raising special taxes to offset the loss of revenue occasioned the closing of the saloons.

The ordinances passed are as follows: Billiard and pool room license, $5 per year; license for soft drink parlors, $50 per year; garage license, $15 per year; tobacco, cigarette, cigar license, $15 per year; ice cream parlors, $15 per year. All such licenses shall expire on the 30th day of September following date of issue. A special tax on candy will be levied at the next meeting. The annual tax levy for $3,330 was also passed.

A class for Biblical instruction for confirmation has been organized and instruction has begun with the opening of a parochial school on September 3 at the Immanuel Lutheran church, with the Rev. W. J. Kemnitz in charge.

The young son of Dan Lauffer has been critically ill the past week.

The Mission Fest services at the St. John German Evangelical church were very largely attended Sunday. The services were held morning evening and were in German and English.

Excavating has been finished the past week for the basement of the new residence which Erhardt Oswald, Jr., is about to built in the north end of the village.

E. D. Gillett is handling a large and new assortment of goods his his store in the former Drug Store building. He is enjoying a good trade.

Joe Kolber has purchased the F. W Searles residence, consideration was $4,000.00

On September 21 a mission festival will be observed at the Immanuel Lutheran church, Mokena. English services will be conducted in the morning at 10:30 o'clock, the Rev. R. Reichmann of New Butler, Wis., preaching. German services in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the Rev. J. Schultz of Orland preaching.

The Young People's society of the Immanuel church will meet at the church September 11.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Immanuel Lutheran church met Sunday in monthly session. Plans were discussed for a bazaar or sale to be given around Thanksgiving time.

Mrs. August Pleger was taken to the Silver Cross hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew E. Wachter

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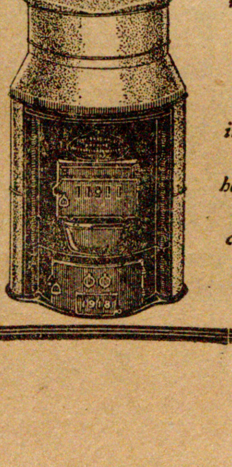

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Green Garden

Henry Bettenhausen is busy building a new corn crib on his farm.

Charles Genens has purchased a new Dodge car.

Henry Landaw was a delegate at the Chicago conference which was in session the past week.

Quite a large number of people of this locality attended the Kankakee fair.

Mrs. Cook of Chicago spent several days at the John Boettscher home.

Frank Bobzin, George Boettscher and Edward Koemer spent Saturday in Tinley Park.

Christ Sangmeister was a Peotone business visitor.

Rev. Hy Stahmer is attending the conference in Chicago.

John Hossback erected a new silo Monday.

Optimistic Thought.

We have many days for **thanksgiving in our** pilgrimage.

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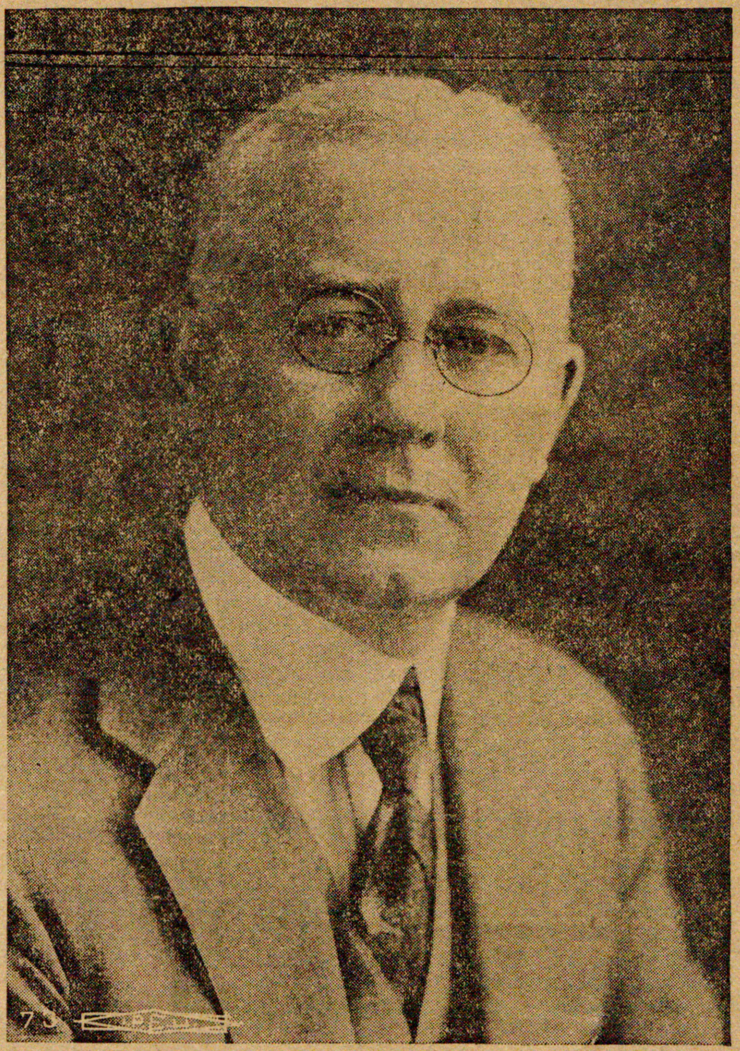

GEORGE A. BARR

Candidate For Republican Nomination For Delegate To Constitutional Convention

PRIMARY SEP. 10. *ELECTION, NOV. 4*

Framing a new Constitution for the State of Illinois is in reality building a new foundation for the State Government. The task must be accomplished without danger of wrecking the super-structure.

Broad-mined men must be secured for this work, men of wide experience and broad sympathies. Prejudice, short vision, and narrow minds must be kept away from the council tables.

If our new Constitution is written by the pens of partisans, it will not be satisfactory to the fair minds of all elements of our society and will fail of ratification.

George A. Barr of Joliet, a candidate for the Republican nomination for Delegate at the primaries September 10th, is too well known in Will County to need any introduction to the voters. He was born in Will County and has always lived in this community. He received his education in those typical Illinois institutions: the country school, the township high school and the State University. He was State's Attorney of this County from 1908 to 1912. He has been an active Republican and has been identified with Civic and Patriotic movements for years.

He worked on a farm as a boy; clerked in a Village store, and after being admitted to the Bar, has had a wide and successful practice as an attorney in Joliet. He knows our people, our community interests and appreciates the needs of such a population as lives in this District, which is itself typical of the whole State. His whole education and training, therefore, have been such as would fit him to represent this District in the Constitutional Convention.

Remember that Constitutional Conventions are not held often; that their work affects all of us for years to come. Then you will realize the importance of voting at the primary on September 10th, and the election November 4th.

Two delegates will be elected from this District. They should be men who can speak for all the People of this District.

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Biblical Lilies.

The "lilies of the field," so often mentioned in the Bible, are thought to be the red and purple, particularly the red anemones with black centers. These anemones grow among the thorn hedges in the East, which accounts for the saying, "lilies among thorns."